## \*OGC Has Reviewed\*

Item from the OGC Weekly Log - 22 September - 26 September 1952

Mr. Clinton, who works on the NIS program in the Department of State, called regarding a ruling of this office that copyrighted material utilized by the NIS (other than under the doctrine of "fair use") could only be used with the approval of the copyright owner. He stated that this would create an intolerable burden and that State would continue to operate on the basis of taking what it needed without the permission of the copyright owner, subject to a ruling by State's legal office. Mr. Pforzheimer reiterated that our ruling in so far as CIA was concerned would stand.

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/Acting General Counsel

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